

The Medicaid Managed Long Term Services and Supports program is a new program that covers your long term care or waiver services. The program is for adults who have Medicare and Medicaid.

### Do you have to enroll in this program? You must enroll (become a member) in one of these two programs:

 The Medicaid Managed Long Term Services and Supports program.
 Read the rest of this brochure.

#### Or

The Medicare-Medicaid Alignment program. See the shaded box below.



#### Need help?

Call **1-877-912-8880** (TTY 1-866-565-8576). The call is free.

We can help you:

- Learn more about the Medicaid Managed Long Term Services and Supports program
- Choose a health plan
- Find out if your long term care facility or waiver provider works with one of the health plans
- See if you can change your health plan
- Learn if the Medicare-Medicaid Alignment program would be a better choice for you

# The Medicare-Medicaid Alignment program brings together all your

Medicare, Medicaid and prescription drug benefits into one health plan. Most health plans offer extra benefits such as more dental care and lower prescription co-pays. To enroll in this program, call us at 1-877-912-8880 (TTY 1-866-565-8576). The call is free.

### **Questions?**

Visit **www.EnrollHFS.Illinois.gov** or call **1-877-912-8880** (TTY 1-866-565-8576) Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. The call is free!

You can get this information in other languages or formats, such as large print or audio.

Tenemos información en español. ¡Servicio de intérpretes gratis! Llame al 1-877-912-8880.



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## What is the Medicaid Managed Long Term Services and Supports program?

A new program that covers long term care or waiver services.

#### Who can enroll in the program?

You can enroll in this program if:

- You are a senior or have a disability, and
- You are enrolled in Medicare and Medicaid, and
- You live in a long term care facility (nursing home) or get waiver services

#### Who cannot enroll in the program?

You cannot enroll in this program if:

- You are 20 years old or younger
- You are getting some, but not all benefits from Medicare or Medicaid
- You are in the Spenddown Program
- You are getting temporary medical benefits
- You get Medicaid because you need treatment for breast or cervical cancer
- You already have private insurance that pays for hospital and doctor visits

#### What does the program cover?

The program covers all the long term care you get now. It also covers any waiver services you get at home such as a personal assistant, homemaker, adult day care or an emergency home response system.

The program will also cover some behavioral health services, transportation to medical appointments, and help coordinating your care.

# Will the program change my Medicare benefits?

No. You will keep getting all your Medicare benefits the way you do now. You will stay in the Medicare prescription drug plan you are in now.

If you have questions about Medicare, call **1-800-MEDICARE** (1-800-633-4227) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week or visit **www.Medicare.gov**. TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048. The call is free!

### Here's how to enroll:

#### 1. Choose a health plan

When you enroll, you will choose a health plan. All health plans have:

- A choice of long term care facilities (nursing homes) and waiver providers
- A team of care coordinators who will help you manage your health care
  If you do not choose a health plan, we will choose for you. It is better if you choose because you know your healthcare needs best!

#### 2. Enroll!

Call us at **1-877-912-8880** (TTY 1-866-565-8576). The call is free.

After you enroll, your health plan will send you a Welcome Packet and ID card in the mail.